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BULLETIN # MGS-02

GAME: VS. DualSystem, VS. UniSystem

SUBJECT: Gun Games

Recently we have received reports concerning wear and damage to the guns used in the VS. Gun Paks. There are two problems in particular that we would like to address in this bulletin.

First, there is a problem with excessive wear on the end of the gun barrel. Because of the force exerted on the tip when pulling the gun in and out of the holster, the rubber may crack and come loose from the barrel. To help remedy this problem, Nintendo has made available a hardened cap that slides on over the end of the barrel to protect it. We have shipped a sufficient number of these gun caps at no charge to our Nintendo distributors to cover those guns already in the field. If it becomes necessary, replacement caps are also available from those distributors at a minimal charge.

The second problem we would like to address has to do with the breaking of the flexible gun cable that connects the gun to the control panel. This cable is strong enough to withstand normal wear, but if enough excessive force is used, the cable could be broken. To help prevent this problem, we strongly suggest adding the security chain that is referred to in the Nintendo Gun Kit Manual. Be sure to use a closed-link chain with a working load of approximately 300 pounds or greater, and be sure to make the chain one or two inches shorter than the cable to relieve any possible strain on the cable.